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**PATENT**  
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 Client Reference No. 200141/US  
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In re Application of: Kurita et al.  
 Application No. 09/921,358  
 Filed: August 2, 2001

Mail Stop Amendment  
 Commissioner for Patents  
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 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a reply to office action in the subject application.

- ☐ Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Petition for an extension of time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.
- ☒ Other: Declaration of Tomoharu Kurita and English translation of "2.2 Macrogelation" of "Soichi MUROI and Hidekazu ISHIMURA, 'Guide for Epoxy Resin (Nyuumon Epoxy resin)' (1986)."
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- ☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
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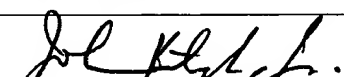
In reply to the Office Action dated December 16, 2004, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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